

NAVAL BATTLE IN SOUTH PACIFIC DISASTROUS TO BRITISH MONMOUTH SUNK AND CRUISER TRAPPED GERMAN CRUISERS ARE VICTORS WITH SLIGHT DAMAGE

VALPARAISO, November 4.—(Associated Press by Commercial Pacific Cable)—A squadron of British warships, consisting of the cruisers Monmouth, Good Hope and Glasgow, conveying the transport Ontranto, were engaged and defeated by a German squadron twenty miles off St. Maria Island, in Arauco Bay, Chile, on Monday. The German squadron consisted of the cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneissau, Leipzig, Nürnberg and Bremen.

The action lasted for an hour, during which the Monmouth was sunk, with all on board, a hurricane preventing any attempt at saving the members of the crew. The Good Hope was damaged, escaping in a crippled condition, while the Glasgow and the Ontranto put into Talcahuano harbor, also damaged.

WATCHING LEST GLASGOW ESCAPES
The Scharnhorst, Gneissau and Nürnberg are safe in the harbor here, while the Leipzig and the Bremen are guarding the entrance of the harbor of Talcahuano, to prevent the escape of the Glasgow and her convoy.

DETAILS OF THE BATTLE
The German admiral reports that his fleet sighted the Britishers shortly before dusk on Monday evening, off St. Maria. The Germans opened fire at 9000 meters, closing in to 8000, at which range the eight-inch guns of the two heavier German cruisers were most effective. After an hour's fighting the British attempted to escape, the Monmouth showing signs of being badly injured. The

smaller cruisers of the German fleet closed in upon her and deluged her with shells from their four-inch guns, the Britisher sinking quickly.

The Good Hope, showing between her funnels the effect of the German fire, escaped under cover of the darkness. The Glasgow and the Ontranto also escaped under cover of the night, but both are believed to be badly damaged.

GERMAN DAMAGES REPORTED SMALL
The German damage, as reported by the admiral, is slight. The Gneissau and the Scharnhorst were both perforated by shells, but the injuries inflicted are inconsequential. On the Gneissau only two men were wounded.

BRITISH SUBMARINE SUNK IN NORTH SEA
LONDON, November 4.—(Associated Press by Commercial Pacific Cable)—The Admiralty yesterday announced that the British submarine D-5 had been sunk in the North Sea yesterday morning, coming into contact with a mine sown by a German cruiser retreating before the British ships. Two officers and two men from the submarine were picked up by the British gunboats.

A German squadron had ventured out from the Heligoland Bight and had been seen and pursued by the British ships on guard. The British gunboats first taking up the fight, attempting to hold the Germans until the cruisers could arrive. The Germans broke away and escaped, sowing mines as they fled back to shelter of the forts.

ALLIED FLEET BOMBARDS THE DARDANELLES FORTS

Active War Between Allied Powers and Turkey Has Begun—Russians Cross the Boundary

LONDON, November 4.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The Admiralty reports that at daybreak the combined British and French fleets bombarded the Turkish forts at the entrance of the Dardanelles.

The ships were not injured by the return fire of the forts, and the extent of the damage inflicted by the naval bombardment is not known.

Yesterday the British cruiser Minerva shelled and occupied the fortified town of Akaba, on the Sinai Peninsula in the Red Sea. The forts, barracks, and some public and private buildings were destroyed by the gun-fire of the Minerva and some of the garrison killed.

The town was occupied without losses on the part of the British.

WAR ACTUALLY BEGUN
A state of war began yesterday between Turkey and Great Britain and Russia. The qualified Turkish apology to Great Britain brought forth the reply from the foreign office: "Too late."

Reuter's Agency reports from Tiflis, Russia, that the Czar has ordered the Caucasus army of Russia to cross the Turkish frontier and engage the enemy.

TURKS CLAIM ADVANTAGE
An official report from Constantinople received here says: "The Russians have attacked our frontier at several points and have been compelled to retire."

England, France and Russia have formally assured their Moslem subjects that religious questions are not involved in the present war, and that the routes of pilgrimage to their holy spots in Arabia will remain open.

INDIA TO STAY LOYAL
The failure of the Turkish endeavor to win away the support of England's Moslem subjects through the medium of religious kinship, is foreshadowed by the following announcement of Aga Khan, spiritual head of the Mohammedans in India, East Africa and Central Asia:

"This war is not done by the Sultan's free will. German officers and other non-Moslems have forced him to do their bidding."

Especially significant in this regard is the manifesto issued by the Nizam of Hyderabad, ruler over a territory of 80,000 square miles in Central India, having a population of 10,000,000 people.

The Nizam says that India will support the British, and his proclamation, in part, reads as follows:

"It is the bounden duty of Mohammedan India to adhere to the British. There is no country in the world in which the Mohammedans enjoy such liberty as in India."

NAVAL OFFICERS ARE GIVEN NEW DETAILS

WASHINGTON, November 4.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Captain Edward W. Eberle has been detached from command of the armored cruiser Washington at Santo Domingo and ordered to duty as commandant of the Washington navy yard, and superintendent of the naval gun factory.

He relieves Captain Hilary P. Jones who goes to the war college at Newport, Virginia.

Commander Edward L. Beach, who will become a captain in December, is ordered to command of the Washington, which becomes a flagship.

ASKS COOPERATION OF ALL HONOLULU

JOHN C. LANE, Mayor-elect
I wish to express my sincere thanks to the voters for the confidence they have reposed in me by electing me to the high office of mayor of the City and County of Honolulu.

I want to thank the Republican party and the friends that have assisted me in attaining this end.

With reference to the office of mayor of this city, it is my honest intention to make this a better and more progressive city, in order to meet the natural growth which I firmly believe is bound to come.

To accomplish these ends I ask for the support of the people of the City and County of Honolulu. "Progress" will be the watchword of my administration.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Atherton and family returned on the Mauna yesterday, after a two months' vacation on the mainland.

GERMANS ARE DRIVEN BACK OF SHIPS ENGAGED

Definitely Abandon Attempt To Force Coast Way To Calais

LONDON, November 4.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—All reports agree that the Germans have definitely abandoned their attempt to force a way to Calais and the Channel by the back passage and have withdrawn their forces from the coast. The inundation of the country is the cause to which the withdrawal is mostly attributable.

The brunt of the attack has been shifted upon the British positions before Ypres and the Kaiser is reported to be personally directing the fighting. His troops are striving desperately to force the passage of the Ypres canal.

The correspondent of the Daily Mail in northern France telegraphs that the Germans made a supreme effort on Sunday to take Ypres. They hurled great masses of soldiers against the Allies under cover of a terrific cannonade. The Allies remained in possession of their positions, repulsing the German assaults and gained some ground.

GERMAN LOSS 50,000.
The Calais correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs:

"The British wedge which the Crown Prince, Rupprecht of Bavaria, and the grand duke, Albrecht of Württemberg, tried to crack between them remains a veritable bayonet, thrust at Ypres, the heart of the German line."

"In the last three weeks the Germans have been pushed back five miles toward Ostend, losing between 35,000 and 50,000 men."

"Air scouts report much activity among the German forces in Belgium. The Kaiser's men are evidently preparing for a fresh drive toward Calais at a point further south."

CONCERTED OFFENSIVE
An official report issued last night at Havre by the Belgian minister of war states that the Allies have begun a concerted offensive movement against the Germans between Dixmude, Knocke and Noorhoek.

"The Belgian general staff announced: 'The enemy have fallen back to the eastward everywhere, abandoning their dead and wounded. Our advance forces find the signs of a precipitate retreat.'"

Yesterday's official announcement from Paris says:

"The Germans appeared to have completely abandoned the left bank of the Yser below Dixmude."

"The Allies have occupied former German positions without serious opposition. South of Dixmude our advance is particularly perceptible. North of the River Yser, despite determined attacks, our front has been everywhere maintained."

GERMANS ADMIT WITHDRAWAL
AMSTERDAM, November 4.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—An official statement given out at Heriot last night announced the abandonment of the German attempt to force a passage to France by way of the coast of Belgium. The district south of Nieuport, says the official announcement, has been evacuated by the Germans, who have found it impossible to operate owing to the inundation of the country, resulting from the cutting of the dykes.

The Germans are now directing their main Belgian attack against the British positions along the Ypres Canal, the report states that good progress is being made. British to the number of twenty-three hundred have been taken, with some machine guns.

There has been heavy fighting west of Roye in France, in which the Mauchter has been heavy. The situation there is unchanged, despite a village fight, in which the German troops were engaged hand-to-hand with the French, losing several hundred men and two cannons.

In the districts of the Aisne Valley the Germans have made progress and have occupied positions beyond Chavennes and Soupir, taking a thousand prisoners.

Before Verdun and Toul, in the Vosges, the attacks of the French have been repulsed.

The German ships carried 2397 men, the British trio having 1954. The biggest ship engaged was the Good Hope, of 13,100 tons and a crew of 900 men. The Monmouth, which is well known in Honolulu, having visited here, was of 8900 tons and had a crew of 678 men. The Glasgow, now at Talcahuano, is of 4800 tons, her crewprising 376 men.

The Scharnhorst and the Gneissau, the two largest Germans, are sister ships, each of 11,600 tons, and each comprising 376 men.

Despatches last night state that it was the German cruiser Bremen, not the Dresden which took part in the engagement. The Bremen is a slightly smaller vessel than the Dresden, and carries practically the same armament, the main battery being identically the same as the Dresden's. The Bremen is a vessel of about the same class and tonnage as the Nürnberg which is well known in Honolulu.

TERRITORY SWEEP BY REPUBLICAN WAVE---DEMOCRATS SAVE ONLY THREE SEATS IN ALL HONOLULU

JOHN C. LANE
THE FIRST REPUBLICAN TO BE
ELECTED MAYOR OF HONOLULU



JOHNSON CARRIES GOLDEN STATE

Prohibition Defeated Two To One
Ballot Too Big For Quick Count

SAN FRANCISCO, November 4.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—At two o'clock this morning the returns showed that Johnson had beaten Fredericks in every section of the State, his reelection being in the nature of a virtual landslide.

Baileman has been elected lieutenant governor, beating Snyder by two to one.

PROHIBITION DEFEATED

SAN FRANCISCO, November 4.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—The large size of the ballot used in this State makes the count very slow, only twenty ballots an hour being handled by the judges of election and tally clerks, while the voting took on an average eleven minutes each. The returns, up to three o'clock this morning, however, indicated the reelection of Governor Johnson, Progressive, by a heavy plurality. Fredericks, Republican, polled a good vote, but Curtin, Democrat, ran a bad third.

Phelan, Democrat, and Knowlton, Republican, are running close for the senate, with Heney, Progressive, trailing.

The question of State-wide prohibition was decided adversely to the advocates of a dry State, the majority against prohibition being about two to one. The proposal to enact a universal eight-hour law for the State was overwhelmingly defeated.

TAMMANY LAW IS DEFEATED VERY SOON

NEW YORK, November 4.—(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)—Secretary Smith of Tammany Hall early last night said that the returns indicated that Whitman, Republican, would have a plurality for the governorship of 150,000.

COMFORTING WORDS

Many a Honolulu Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove comforting words to hundreds of Honolulu readers.

Capt. J. J. Arthur, 451 N. Fifth St., San Jose, Cal., says: "I worked too hard about fifteen years ago when I was in Los Gatos and my kidneys were weakened. My back ached a great deal and sharp pains darted from my kidneys into my shoulders, almost crippling me. My head ached and I often felt dizzy. My run was broken at night on account of the frequent action of the kidneys. The kidney secretions were highly colored and often painful in passage. I was gradually getting worse and was seeking relief when a friend recommended Doan's Backache Kidney Pills. I took them and found relief in a short time. I continued using them and three boxes removed every symptom of kidney trouble. I have been well since and free from every symptom of kidney complaint."

Doan's Backache Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists and storekeepers at 50 cents per box (six boxes \$2.50), or will be mailed on receipt of price to the Heliester Drug Co., Honolulu, who are agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

Kuhio Gets Tremendous Majority--Lane Beats Fern and Democratic Board Is Swept Out--Rose Beats Henry By Small Vote--Two Democrats In Fifth

(From Wednesday Advertiser.)
Republicans swept the Territory yesterday.

Delegate Kuhio, carrying every island, is returned for his seventh term in congress by a majority well over four thousand. On Oahu and Maui the Republican senatorial ticket carried, Hawaii breaking even, with one and one, and Kauai alone going Democratic for the upper house. In this contest, Eric Knudsen, the president of the senate, was defeated for reelection.

The house, with the exception of one lone Home Ruler and possibly two Democrats will be solidly Republican.

LANE ELECTED MAYOR

Honolulu, for the first time in history, will have a Republican mayor, John C. Lane beating Joe Fern by a big margin. The board of supervisors will be Republican and that party will control every other office of the city with the exception of the office of sheriff, to

which Rose has been reelected by a majority that should teach him a lesson. The Democrats had expected to return him by two thousand; his actual majority was hardly more than a tenth of that, and for a time, when the first returns were coming in, it was thought that he had been defeated.

Chillingworth led in the senatorial vote, taking 4711. Castle polled 4547 and E. W. Quinn 4477. The highest Democratic vote was that of Professor Bryan, who got 3131, some hundreds ahead of his ticket but not enough to help him.

Conking defeated Manley Hopkins in easy fashion and Bicknell had almost a walkover for reelection.

The complete returns, so far as they were received up to four o'clock this morning, are to be found in the tabulated lists on Page Two of this issue.

CLOSE VOTING FOR THE HOUSE
Unless a recount should determine otherwise, the Democrats have elected two representatives from the fifth.

"Banana Jack" Kalakala and Kupieha. Their totals stand: Kalakala 1733, Kupieha 1741. The two lowest Republican, according to the figures supplied from the county clerk's office, are Viera, who is credited with 1723, and Mahoe, who polls 1724. Thus Kalakala, as the figures stand, is three votes to the good and Kupieha is thirteen.

This morning, Viera claims that forty of his votes have not been credited to him. If this be so he beats "Too Bad" Jack for the seat.

Party Loses Two Senators--One On Kauai, One On Big Island, Only

Returns from the other islands show an overwhelming victory for the Republican ticket, with only one or two exceptions.

The island of Hawaii gave Kuhio a total vote of 1832, as against 707 for McCandless and 143 for Carter.

S. L. Desha Sr., Republican, and R. H. Makekane, Democrat, were elected to the senate. The former received 1508 votes and the latter 1242. J. D. Lewis, Democrat, received 1210 votes, and G. P. Kamaoaha, Progressive candidate, 863.

The representatives elected in West Hawaii are H. L. Kawewehi, Home Ruler, and D. K. Kaupiko, M. K. Makakau and H. L. Holstein, Republicans.

In East Hawaii the entire Republican ticket was elected to the house. The successful candidates are J. F. Hale, G. H. Huddy, N. K. Lyman and Evan da Silva.

Clear Sweep on Maui

In Maui a majority of 900 votes was polled for Kuhio, with Molokai yet to hear from. The straight Republican ticket was elected by an average majority of 800. W. T. Robinson goes to the senate. For the house, W. F. Campbell, A. Garen, P. J. Goodness, E. J. K. Nawahine, A. F. Tavaras and Edward Waihole were elected by a vote of two to one.

The Garden Island

Kuhio received 550 votes on Kauai, as against 303 for McCandless, with Niihau missing. Carter got forty-seven votes.

Senator Knudsen was badly defeated by his Democratic opponent, M. A. Mikale. The Republican ticket, J. H. Coney, John Fanoth, J. K. Kula and J. K. Lota, was elected to the house.

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